

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, JULY 26, 1909

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.
Sun rises tomorrow at 4:56 and sets at 7:17.
High water at 2:45 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section increasing cloudiness tonight, followed by unsettled weather and possibly showers Tuesday; slightly warmer tonight; light variable winds, becoming southerly.

ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON HIGHWAY.

The movement for good roads in Virginia has developed an interest in the immediate construction of a modern road between Alexandria and Washington, which has become an essential to both cities now that the ferry is a thing of the past. The parties who have charge of the road are the Washington and Alexandria Highway Association and the Chamber of Commerce of this city. The parties who have charge of the road are the Washington and Alexandria Highway Association and the Chamber of Commerce of this city. The parties who have charge of the road are the Washington and Alexandria Highway Association and the Chamber of Commerce of this city.

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ALARM OF FIRE.

The alarm of fire early yesterday afternoon was caused by the discovery of a blaze on the third floor of the building on the north side of King street, between Royal and Pitt, in which the Bachelor Club is located. The room in which the fire occurred is occupied by H. P. Holler, president of the Oriental Seminary. A ham had been placed on a gas stove, and Mr. Holler had gone to Colonial Beach. In his haste to catch the boat, he neglected to turn off the gas. The ham had cooked to a cinder and the flame finally blazed, setting fire to the floor, wall paper and some furniture in the room. Officer Lawless, who was walking on the south side of the street, saw smoke coming from the upper story, and he and others proceeded to make an investigation. After some difficulty the door was opened when a chemical extinguisher was used to subdue the flames. It occurred to Mr. Holler after leaving on the steamer that he had left the gas stove burning, and as soon as he arrived at Colonial Beach he telephoned to a friend in this city to turn off the gas from the stove. His message came too late, however.

TURNED OVER TO PRINCE WILLIAM AUTHORITIES.

John Williams was arrested Saturday morning at the Braddock House by Lieut. B. H. and Policemen Nicholson on suspicion of stealing a quantity of clothing valued at about \$65, from the tailoring establishment of H. C. Ryckman, of Manassas. The police recovered the goods at a second-hand store where they had been sold. Williams said that he took the clothing, but added that his intention in returning to Alexandria was to redeem the articles and return them to their owner. He also said his reason for taking them was to buy something to eat. Williams says he is a painter by trade. He was taken to Manassas this afternoon.

RETURNED TO NORTH CAROLINA.

Police Sgt. J. R. Pennygraff, of the Durham, N. C., police department, arrived in Alexandria yesterday, and left last night in charge of Forney Foster, colored, who was arrested in this city on Saturday by Officer Besch. It is charged that Foster had been arrested for selling liquor in "dry" territory, and while awaiting trial had jumped a \$300 bail bond. Sergeant Pennygraff was accompanied by W. T. Rigbee, Foster's counsel.

JANE MOSELY REBUILT.

After being in the dock of W. E. Woodall & Co. for nearly two months during which she was almost rebuilt, the sidewheel steamer Jane Mosely left Baltimore Saturday and passed this city yesterday for Washington, where she is to run excursions from that city to Potomac river points. Every piece of timber that Mr. Woodall considered useless in the Mosely was removed and replaced by new ones. The E. J. Ood Company overhauled and repaired the engine and boiler.

NEW OFFICE BUILDING.

The Southern Railway Company has purchased lot 86, square 724, located on D street northeast, between First and Second streets, Washington. The price paid for the property was about \$21,000. The company will erect an office building with a frontage of 142 feet and a depth of 168 feet, to be seven stories high, steel-frame construction, with reinforced concrete floors and roof, and terra-cotta block partitions.

FORFEITED HIS COLLATERAL.

Earl Hayes was arrested Saturday night by officers Nicholson and Arrington on a charge of shooting a pistol in the street. He left \$200 collateral for his appearance in the Police Court this morning but failed to appear and forfeited his deposit.

The Red Cross Shoes for tender feet.

The ladies who wear the Red Cross Shoes always wear a smile. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

BASEBALL.

The Fredericksburg Star of Friday printed the following:
The following letter will explain itself: This good team will play the Fredericksburg nine at Hanover Park Saturday afternoon at 5 p. m.

Alexandria, Va., July 17, '09
Mr. Fredericksburg B. B. Team,
Fredericksburg, Va.

Dear Sir:

We have a team this year that has everything around this part of the country "skinned to death." We have played 23 games, won 20 and lost 3.

We won the championship of the District by defeating the crack Olympia A. C. (he recognized "Champs" of the District) four straight.

We have defeated the Regular A. C. of the Del Ray A. C., the Virginia A. C. and the Linworth A. C. and a bunch of other crack teams around this vicinity. Having taken all the scalps we want around Washington, we want to branch out and tackle the Fredericksburg team, and we think we can give you a run for your money (this isn't any hot air either).

Yours respectfully,
LAWRENCE M. CORBETT, Mgr.

The Alexandrians went to Fredericksburg on Saturday and were defeated by a score of 7 to 0. They had a good time, however, and were hospitably entertained.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice L. H. Thompson presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Epps Padgett, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$2.50.

William H. Gilman, charged with vagrancy, was fined \$5.

A young man, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear. A young white woman charged with a similar offense, was dismissed.

Nicholas and Eliza Mully, charged with disorderly conduct, were dismissed with an admonition.

Earl Hayes, charged with discharging a pistol in the street, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Joseph Adams, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$5.

Bessie Brown, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

WEST END NOTES.

The service at St. John's Chapel yesterday was attended by a large congregation. They were conducted by Mr. Goodwin, a student of the Theological Seminary. Next Sunday Rev. Mr. Reese, of Baltimore, will conduct the service.

Mr. John Roth and his two daughters, of Baltimore, were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watkins, at the latter's home, 1707 Duke street.

Complaint is made of the disorderly conduct of men and boys who congregate nightly at the corner of Duke, Peyton and Commerce streets.

A crowd witnessed a ball game yesterday afternoon between the West End Giants (men) and the West End Pilots (boys) on a lot adjoining Mount Vernon Avenue, between King and Duke streets. The Giants were defeated by a score of 5 to 0.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Frances Anna Datts took place this afternoon from her home, 1622 Duke street. The service was conducted by Rev. W. F. W. pastor of the First Baptist Church. The pallbearers were Messrs. Madison and Bernard Brown, and Raymond and Harry Catts.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ophelia Besch took place this afternoon from Mount Olivet Church, Ballston, Alexandria county.

PREPARING TO BUILD.

The Armour Meat Company is preparing to commence the erection of a new plant on Cameron and Henry streets. The six frame houses on the ground recently purchased by the company have been sold and they will be removed as soon as possible. The brick building on the corner will be utilized by the company in connection with the new plant. As soon as the frame houses shall have been removed the spur railroad track will be laid.

George W. Ross, one of the oldest steamboat captains on the Potomac, died Saturday at Garfield hospital, Washington. The deceased was a native of Camden, N. J., where he was born sixty-eight years ago. He came to Washington in 1861 since which time he had been employed on the Potomac. The late Capt. Thomas Ross of the steamer Charles Macalester was an uncle of the deceased.

TO ELECT A POLIEMAN.

The Board of Police Commissioners will hold a meeting this week and elect a successor to Mr. Joshua Sherwood, who was recently elected overseer of the alms house, and who will enter upon the discharge of his duties on the 1st proximo. Among the candidates for the position of policeman are William Schoen, Samuel Reed, Samuel Whedbee and Henry Burke.

RIVER NOTES.

The canoe "Merry Widow," which has been lying in the dock at the foot of Prince street, has been equipped with a gasoline engine manufactured at the Emerson Works in this city.

The schooner Peri, with lumber from the lower river to W. A. Smoot & Co., has arrived.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Anna T. Bruce and her daughter, Miss Orlan Bruce have returned from a pleasant visit to King George county. Mrs. John E. Tackett and Miss Sophie Tackett have gone to Williamsport, Md., for the remainder of the summer.

Rev. P. P. Phillips and family have gone to Rye Beach, N. H., to spend their vacation.

Mrs. Wm. A. Smoot, who has been visiting Mrs. J. Fitz Jones in King George county, has returned to her home in this city.

Misses Myrtle and Lucy Graves are spending several weeks at Atlantic City.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire left today for a trip through Canada.

Rev. John Cavanaugh left today for Uppico, Md., to attend the Free Methodist Conference meeting being held there.

Mrs. George Aderston and her daughters, Misses Rose and Alice Aderston left Saturday for Delaplane, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Col. J. A. de Lagnel who has been quite ill for some time is rapidly improving and his many friends hope soon to see him out again.

Mrs. Nicholson, wife of Officer Nicholson, yesterday presented her husband with a daughter.

Lieutenant Smith, of the police force, is confined to his home by indisposition.

Professor Charles Bittle and sister have gone to St. George's Island to be gone two months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Bydstrom and sons, Frederick and Richard, and Miss Marjorie Griffin, of St. Louis, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Ellis, at Mount Vernon on the Potomac, for several weeks.

Mrs. R. C. Acton has returned from a visit to Orkney Springs.

Mrs. Maurice Wilkins has gone to Bluemont to spend a month.

Mr. J. Wm. May has recovered from an attack of typhoid fever, and has left the Alexandria Hospital where he had been under treatment. He will leave for Atlantic City in a few days, hoping to regain his strength.

Mrs. Joshua Ellis, a former resident of this city, is seriously ill at her home in Washington.

Mr. William Addison Deahl, who has been quite ill for some months past, left yesterday for Hot Springs, Arkansas, for treatment.

Mr. W. J. Jorg has been elected a deacon in the First Baptist Church to fill the vacancy caused by the death of A. J. Groves.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

No. Alexandria was not annexed to the District of Columbia last night.

Officer Young this morning arrested Phil. Toler, colored, who is charged with assaulting Medora Holland.

The Alexandria Water Company is extending its service in Del Ray by laying 1,000 feet of 4-inch pipe in Peyton avenue.

Andrew Grady has sold to J. M. Dougherty a house and lot on the east side of Washington street, between Madison and Montgomery.

The report that Mrs. R. C. Carter had mysteriously disappeared from her home in this city is denied by her friends, who say she is visiting her mother in Waverly, N. Y.

James D. McWhirt, plant foreman of the Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company of this city, was thrown from a wagon while descending Seminary Hill this morning, and his left arm was badly fractured. He was attended by Dr. S. B. Moore.

Officer Young this morning arrested John Harvey, colored, charged with stealing three watches in Alexandria county. The arrest was made at the instance of Ernest Bowen, colored. Harvey will be returned over to the county authorities.

Seventy-four years ago today lightning struck the roof of the First Presbyterian Church on south Fairfax street, and the structure was totally destroyed. The present church building was erected a short time later. But few people are now living who witnessed the fire.

Her real name was Miss Ruby Sparkler, better known to the U. S. Secret Service authorities as the "Maid of Malen Lane." Her principal graft was selling some small-town E. Z. mark, "fake" jewelry for the real article, and quickly sidestepping to the next burg. But like all good things, one day she got careless and overstepped her mark. Now she's lockstepping it at Sing Sing. Which only goes to show that careless people never do get along in this world. Always be particular and come to the Auth. Stand for these irresistibly delicious Auth. Products. Sylvan Blonheim, The Auth. Stand, City Market.

You may find it to your advantage to call at 108 south Washington street and see the bargains in the private sale of furniture. There is yet to sell an Eater organ, Singer sewing machine, extension table, a walnut wardrobe, a parlor suit, a child's white bedstead, fancy tables, etc., all of which will be sold cheap. All unsold articles will be packed away on Thursday, the 29th instant. No auction.

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Sixty-first Congress.

Washington, July 26.
SENATE.

The Senate today adopted the Brown resolution requesting the president to transmit forthwith to the governors of the states copies of the joint resolution submitting to the states an amendment to the constitution for an income tax. Senator Bailey, of Texas, expressed the opinion that the notification to the states should be made by the clerk of the House of Representatives, but did not press his objection.

Sutherland, of Utah, objected to any notice being sent to the states on the ground that it was unnecessary. He thought the states would take notice of the action of congress in submitting the constitutional amendment even if they received no official notification. Messrs. Brown, Lodge and Burrows, however, showed that it was customary for the President to give notice to the states and the resolution was adopted without objection.

The senate then adjourned until Thursday.

Probable Murder.

Newark, N. J., July 26.—Robbery is supposed to have been the motive for the murder of Benjamin Nippinger, mechanical engineer, whose body was found today in a vacant lot on south Tenth street. There was a bullet wound through his head.

Two chambers empty lay at his side, but the police believe it was placed there to make it appear Nippinger had killed himself. His watch had been stolen and his diamond stud and diamond ring were missing.

Grave fears are entertained for the recovery of John W. Herron, ex-father-in-law of President Taft, who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis in Clinton E. Stetson. He is at the home of his son-in-law, Charles Anderson, Mrs. Taft has not been summoned.

The Rev. Dr. William M. Huntington, rector of Grace Episcopal Church in New York, and one of the leading divines of America, died at Nahant, Mass., early today after a lingering illness.

Miss Mabel Owens, arrested some time ago in Baltimore on a charge of smuggling cocaine, was burned to death in her home in Washington on Saturday night. Smoking cigarettes in bed is said by the police to have cost Miss Owens her life and caused serious injury to Mrs. Emma Oppenheimer, of 1847 Ninth street northwest, Washington, where she lived.

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PAUL B. BARRINGER, M. D., F. D. President.

The Rest of EVERYTHING.

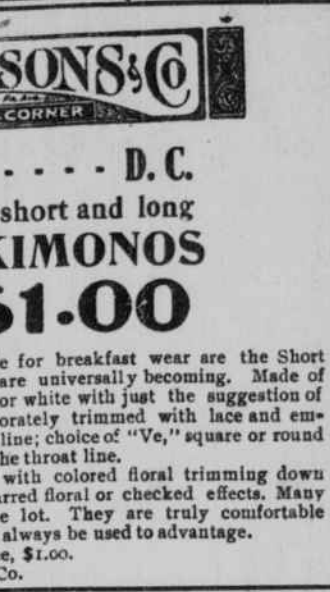
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